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January 31, 2020

The Honorable David Baker City of Kenmore 18120 68th Avenue NE Kenmore, WA 98028

Re: Kenmore Shoreline Master Program Periodic Review Amendment – Conditional Approval

Dear Mayor Baker:

I would like to take this opportunity to commend the City of Kenmore (City) for its efforts in developing the proposed of the Shoreline Master Program (SMP) amendments. It is obvious that a significant effort was invested in this update. As we have discussed with your staff, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) has identified changes necessary to make the proposal approvable. These changes are detailed in Attachment B and C. The findings and conclusions that support Ecology's decision are contained in Attachment A.

Pursuant to RCW 90.58.090 (2)(e), at this point, the City may:

- Agree to the proposed changes as shown in Attachment C, or
- Submit an alternative proposal. Ecology will then review the alternative(s) submitted for consistency with the purpose and intent of the changes originally developed by Ecology and with the Shoreline Management Act.

Final Ecology approval will occur when the City and Ecology agree on language that meets statutory and Guideline requirements.

Please provide your written response within 30 days to the Director's Office at the following address:

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WA State Department of Ecology Attention: Director's Office PO Box 47600 Olympia, WA 98504-6700.





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We look forward to concluding the SMP periodic review amendment process in the near future. If you have questions or would like to discuss the changes identified by Ecology, please contact our regional planner, Maria Sandercock at maria.sandercock@ecy.wa.gov or (425) 649-7106.

Sincerely,

Laura Watson Director

Enclosures (3)

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